

### Navy Man Held In Auto Crash Death of Woman

Accused of responsibility in an auto crash that took the life of a Torrance mother of three children Tuesday, a young Navy man was held to answer on a felony manslaughter charge at a preliminary hearing Thursday and was ordered to appear for arraignment in Long Beach Superior Court Feb. 17.

Donald Harris, 20, sailor stationed aboard the USS Highbee, appeared at a preliminary hearing in San Pedro Municipal Court and was released on his own recognizance until the date for arraignment.

He is charged with being responsible for the crash that killed Mrs. Verona Volner, 29, of 908 Del Amo Blvd., which occurred at Normandie Ave. and East Rd. Tuesday night. Four others were injured seriously in the crash.

A coroner's inquest will be held tomorrow morning at 9:30 at Stone and Myers Mortuary to determine the cause of death. Investigators charge that Harris, driving while under the influence of alcohol, ran past a stop sign at high speed and crashed into the Volner car.

Tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in Stone and Myers Chapel, funeral services will be held for Mrs. Volner. Burial will follow at Roosevelt Cemetery. She is survived by her husband, John, and three young sons, John Jr., Donald, and James.

### County to Deed 10 Alondra Park Acres to ECC

El Camino School District got 10 more acres of land in Alondra Park this week following action by the County Board of Supervisors on motion by Supervisor Kenneth Hahn.

Property involved is bounded on the north by Manhattan Beach Blvd., on the west by Dominguez Flood Control Channel, and on the north and east by property of the school district. As soon as technical details for the transfer of title are completed, the school district will own all property east of Dominguez Channel between Manhattan Beach and Redondo Beach Bvds. east to Crenshaw.

The 10 acres to be deeded have been leased by the school district since 1950 and considered a part of the campus. Under the agreement when the property was leased, the school district had an option to purchase with a stipulation that the county would expend the money received from the sale for recreational buildings and equipment for use of the general public and the school.

Transfer of the property for no monetary consideration was approved when Supervisor Hahn pointed out that the school district had spent over \$628,000 in improving the entire college campus, including the property in question.

Forrest G. Murdock, superintendent of El Camino College, asked Hahn last December to initiate action to transfer the property.

### Mrs. Simpson Joins Loan Assn. Office

Mrs. Joan Simpson has joined the staff of the Wilmington Mutual Savings and Loan Association and will have charge of the escrow department. It was announced yesterday.

Mrs. Simpson has had 12 years experience in escrow work and has taken special courses with instructors from the leaders in the California Escrow and Title Industry. Mrs. Simpson lives in Lomita and is well known in the Harbor district. She was formerly with the California Bank at its branch in Lomita. Mrs. Simpson's husband is the owner and manager of the Lomita Hardware and Plumbing Shop.

### Pair Replace Pastor at Assembly of God Church

The Rev. and Mrs. Charles Farmer of Long Beach will speak at the Torrance Assembly of God Church at the 7 p.m. service in place of the Rev. Ida Sande, pastor, who is out of town on a speaking engagement.

### Moose Present Check for Dimes

A check for \$188, the proceeds of a "March of Dimes" fund-raising campaign by the Torrance Loyal Order of Moose, was presented this weekend by Charles Shiffer, chairman of the Moose committee, to Mrs. Clara Conner, Torrance chairman of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

The Torrance Moose was one of three local organizations to present a "March of Dimes" dance during the fund-raising campaign. Governor Dan Desmond acted as general chairman of the lodge's "dance that others may walk" polo program.

### Insurance Class Set for Evening

A new course in insurance procedures will be opened at the Torrance High School on the evening of Feb. 16 under the sponsorship of the Torrance-Lomita Realty Board. It was announced yesterday by Board President Perry Connett.

Part of the Adult Education program at the school, the new course will cover fire, casualty, legal, inland marine, automobile, general liability, theft, burglary, fidelity and surety, and insurance office procedures.

Instructors for 10-week course will include fire underwriters, special agents, and association casualty specialists. The instructors are being drawn from such firms as Aetna, Hartford, Travelers, and New Zealand. Attorney John Bolton of Los Angeles will cover legal aspects of the course.

### Group To Promote Aid

A meeting has been slated for Feb. 17 at 8 p.m. at the Emerson School auditorium, Caldwell and Mayo Sts., Compton, by the Mid-Cities Association for Retarded Children, a newly organized group which numbers members from Torrance, Compton, Lynwood, Bellflower, Gardena, Paramount, South Gate, and portions of Long Beach and Lakewood.

### Second Semester Officers Elected

Harold Philip and Sandy Sanders have been elected second semester presidents of the Torrance H.Y. Club and the Tri-H.Y., according to "Y" Secretary Stan Roberts.

Other H.Y. officers are John Sousa, vice-president; Burt Smith, secretary; Sam Smith, treasurer; Dick Piazza, sergeant-at-arms; and Al Rainwater, chaplain.

Other officers of the Girls club are Claire Demont, vice-president; Connie Stout, secretary; Judy Reid, treasurer; Ann Steinbaugh, sergeant-at-arms; Lynne Saine, historian; and Pat Flanagan, chaplain. Advisor of the group is Miss Evelyn Clark of the High School Attendance Office.

### Services Held For Walteria Pioneer

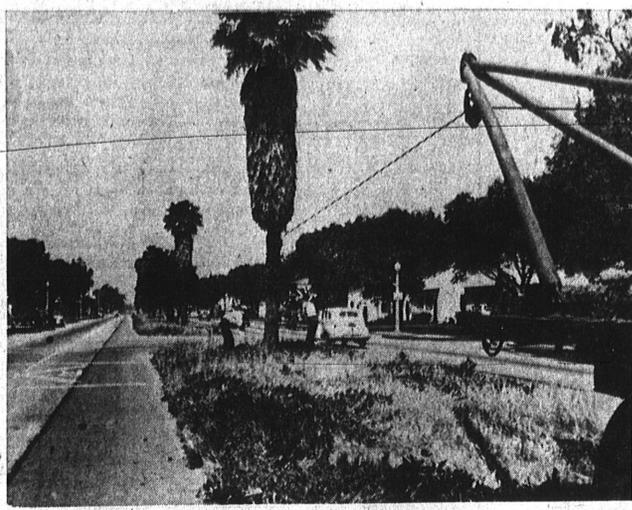
Funeral services were held Friday at Stone and Myers Chapel for Greta Gilliam, 73, pioneer resident of Walteria and mother of Torrance Police Det. Sgt. Percy Bennett.

Mrs. Gilliam lived in Walteria from 1922 to 1953 and was residing in Long Beach at the time of her death. Rites were conducted by the Rev. C. M. Northrup of the First Baptist Church, and interment followed at Pacific Crest Cemetery.

Mrs. Gilliam died Tuesday at Harbor General Hospital. Besides her son, she is survived by a brother, Walter Stock of Wilmar, Calif.

### Slate Talk About Taxes

"Current Income Tax Developments" will be discussed by Russell S. Bock, resident partner, Ernst and Ernst, Los Angeles, at the Tuesday, Feb. 9 joint meeting of the Long Beach chapter of the National Office Management Association and the Long Beach Chapter of the National Association of Cost Accountants.



REMEMBER THIS . . . It was May, 1951, that workmen removed the palm-tree lined island from the center of Torrance Blvd. to expedite the increasing flow of traffic into town. The island extended from Madrid Ave. to Date Ave. This photo was taken just west of Madrid as the first tree was about to give way to progress.

**THINGS TO TALK ABOUT**  
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